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Applicant: David Murrin

For: WHEEL MECHANISM FOR SKI-EQUIPPED VEHICLES

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Sir:

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<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
2,424,641	Swanson	July 1947
2,708,978	Robitaille	May 1955
3,113,805	Nodwell	Dec 1963
3,477,734	Albertson	Nov 1969
3,552,515	Tomita	Jan 1970
3,696,877	Dessureault	Oct 1972
3,734,532	Mattson	May 1973
4,195,702	Denis	April 1980
5,908,226	Courtemanche	June 1999

The above-listed references are, in the belief and opinion of the undersigned, the closest art of which the applicant is aware as of the date of execution of the Declaration in the above-captioned application.

Respectfully submitted,

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